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Examiner: To Be Assigned Group: 3644
Re: Application of: Horst BANSEMIR et al.
Serial No.: 10/691,005
Filed: 10/22/2003
For: IMPACT-ABSORBING, LOAD-LIMITING
CONNECTION DEVICE AND ROTARY WING
AIRCRAFT HAVING SUCH A CONNECTION
DEVICE

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced patent application prior to examination as follows.

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please replace the Figure 8 of the drawings to above-referenced patent application with newly submitted and attached Replacement Drawing Figure 8.